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W. W. RANDALL IS SERIOUSLY INJURED

WHILE WORKING ON BRIDGE NEAR CLEARMONT YESTERDAY

LEFT ANKLE FRACTURED

When Driver Head Of Pile Driver Fell On Him—Two Gashes Cut In Head, and Shoulders Bruised

W. W. Randall, 310 East Fourth street, was seriously injured yesterday afternoon while he was working on a bridge near Clearmont.

Mr. Randall was standing near a pile driver when the driver head came off and struck him on the head and shoulders. His left ankle was badly fractured and shoulders bruised. Two gashes were cut in his head.

The accident occurred early yesterday afternoon and Mr. Randall was immediately taken to the office of Dr. C. E. Cossins at Burlington Junction where he received medical treatment. Late last night he was removed to the Kaufman home. Mrs. Randall and daughter, Norma, went to Burlington Junction immediately after receiving word of the accident.

He spent a fairly good night and is getting along as well as could be expected. It will be two or three days before he can be brought to Maryville.

Several workmen were standing near by when the accident occurred but Mr. Randall was the only one injured.

Battery C to Give Demonstration Soon

Parade and Artillery Fire Is To Be Displayed For the Public

The people of Maryville will have a chance to see Battery C in action this fall. The Battery, under the command of Captain Kyle Phares, will give a demonstration of the knowledge of artillery work which they obtained at camp at Fort Sill this summer.

The demonstration will take place soon after the hoofs of the horses, which have just been shipped to the Battery, are repaired. The horses have not been shod for sometime and it will take considerable work to get them in shape.

The demonstration will consist of parades, dress reviews, and the firing of the artillery guns which are a part of the equipment of the battery.

A sham battle will be fought against an imaginary enemy so that the public will have a chance to see the different orders the artillery will follow. Firing to demolish the opposing trenches and firing over the heads of the advancing infantry will be shown.

The artillery fire will be made with blank shells so that there will be no danger from explosions. The action will take place on an open field at the out-skirts of town.

The Battery was thoroughly drilled in all of the work that they will put on while at camp at Fort Sill. They were under special officers of the U. S. Army and spent every morning in practice work.

The horses are being kept at the old bus barn and work will start immediately to get them in shape for the practice work. The Battery will take several workouts before they will give their demonstration of shell fire to the public.

Postage Stamps in Mourning

Washington, Aug. 16—Black 2-cent postage stamps will be issued by the postoffice department as a token of the nation's mourning for the late President Harding.

Announcement of this was made today by Postmaster General New after a conference with President Coolidge. The stamps will be of the same size as those now in use and will bear a likeness of the late President.

They will be ready for distribution in several weeks. The issue will continue indefinitely. They will not in any way affect the validity of the existing 2-cent stamps, which will continue in use.

Although there is no precedent for such action, the postmaster general said his authority was undoubted. President Coolidge gave his approval whole heartedly to the plan and picked out two designs as his favorites among several which were submitted.

Seven Women Attend Class at Burr Oak

Bedside Care Group Given Instruction In Temperature and Cleansing Baths—17 At Hopkins

Seven women attended the class in bedside care at Burr Oak, four miles west of Skidmore, yesterday. The class was under the supervision of Mrs. Grace Bean of the Nodaway County Health Department, and instruction was given in the cleansing and temperature baths.

Seventeen women attended the bedside care class at Hopkins, Tuesday. Instruction was given in the use of medicine and other remedies.

TWO MEN SHOT IN KU KLUX KLAN RIOT

SEVERAL OTHERS INJURED FOLLOWING KLAN MEETING

MAKING INVESTIGATION

Klansmen Drape Insignia With Stars and Stripes—Have Huge Parade Before Meeting

Steubenville, O., Aug. 16—A sweeping investigation into the riot here late last night in which two men were shot, one perhaps fatally, and forty men engaged in a battle with one hundred Klansmen was promised by Steubenville and Jefferson County authorities here today.

Several cars containing members of the Ku Klux Klan from Wierton, W. Va. and East Liverpool, Ohio were wrecked.

Darwin L. Gibson was shot through the head and probably fatally wounded. John Dehantis was shot through the left eye.

The Klan meeting broke up about 10:45 o'clock last night. The visiting Klansmen filed from the hall to enter their waiting machines. The spokesman of the mob tired at the first men to enter a machine. A fist fight began and twelve Klansmen, seated in the three leading machines, suffered injuries inflicted by stones, sticks and fists. The cars were wrecked.

Before the meeting, visiting Klansmen numbering about 100, headed by a band, paraded the down town streets. The Klan insignia was draped in the Star and stripes. Members of the mob objected to the national flag being used in any Klan exercise and it is said that this was the cause for the hostilities.

Maurice Wolfers to Go to California

Hopkins Young Business Man To Leave September 1—Changes In Wolfers Store

(Hopkins Journal)

Maurice Wolfers, secretary and treasurer of the Wolfers Mercantile Company, has decided to go to San Francisco, California, to engage in business, and will be associated with Robert Wolfers in that city. Robert leaves Saturday for the west and Maurice and family will leave the first of September.

The store here will continue along the same lines as it has been conducted for the many years the firm has been in business.

P. H. Stewart will have charge of the dry goods department, Jack Robinson will continue manager of the clothing department and Miss Grace Ross will look after the office work.

The mill will be conducted by Charley Gray who has been with the firm for many years and he will continue to buy and ship grain as heretofore.

The direct management of the store and mill will shift from the shoulders of Maurice to Roy Wolfers of Pickering, who will drive back and forth from Pickering as the occasion demands.

On St. Joseph Market

J. C. Fryar, Nodaway county, sold 12 steers and heifers, 920 lbs., $11.

Chas. McDaniel, sold a load of 212 lb. Poland China hogs at $8.10, the top.

From the county, shippers on the market with stock were Chas. McDaniel, Bank of Skidmore, F. I. Goslee Fritz Walton, Lee Pugh, Hobert Bray, S. W. Redman, E. L. Anderson, Pat Merrigan, Henry Rosenquist.

Return From Rochester

Mrs. Alpha Bishop and daughter, Miss Sterryl Bishop, returned this morning from Rochester, Minn., where Mrs. Bishop underwent an operation at Mayo Bros.

SWIMMING CARNIVAL AT ALEY AQUARIUM

CONTEST OPEN TO ALL—MANY DIFFERENT EVENTS

BY 20TH CENTURY CLUB

Plan To Extend Present Tower PrizesTo Be Awarded For All Winners

On Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock August 24th a water sport carnival will be held at the Aley Swimming Pool. This carnival will be sponsored by the Twentieth Century Club. The carnival will consist of the following events:

Swimming free style girls under 15.
Swing free style girls over 16.
Swimming free style married women's race.
Back stroke women.
Swimming free style boys under 12.
Swimming free style boys under 16.
Swimming free style boys over 16.
Fat man's race.
Tub race.
Jolting contest.
Walking greasy pole.
Diving exhibition.
Duck chasing contest.
Demonstration of swimming strokes by men and women.
Water polo.
Clown stunts.

All swimming races will be the length of the pool. Music will be furnished by an orchestra and there will be singing by several Maryville people. There will be an exhibition of plain, fancy and high diving. Practically all plain and fancy dives, as well as forward and backward somersault dives will be made by men and women. The present high platform will be extended at least twice its present height, and both forward and backward dives will be made from it. Additional lights will be installed as well as two large electric spot lights so that every event may be seen from all parts of the pool. Tiers of seats will be erected an all sides of the pool, so that there will be ample seating capacity to take care of everyone who attends.

Prizes will be given for all contests, and the best local swimming talent will take part. The names of the officials, and the contestants in each event will be given later.

All women and girls who wish to take part in the swimming races please report to Mrs. D. J. Thomas or Mrs. L. M. Eek at once. All men swimmers report to Mr. Kendell at the swimming pool.

Hyde is Not Candidate for Vice Presidency

Declines Honor Offered By Coolidge-Hyde Clubs

Gov. Arthur M. Hyde, who visited St. Joseph Tuesday and Wednesday, declared that under no consideration would he become a candidate for vice president, although the Trenton Republican and Tribune, a paper published in the governor's home town, urged its citizens to form a Coolidge and Hyde club. Action was taken in Kansas City Monday to form a Coolidge and Hyde club.

Governor Hyde declared that he highly respected the ability of President Coolidge and thought he would be the nominee in 1924, but asserted that he had no desire to become vice president. The governor said his only ambition at this time lay in a forty-acre farm in Grundy county.

Hold Lieut.-Gov. for Alleged Conspiracy

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 16—Charged with conspiracy to wreck the Commercial National Bank of Wilmington, N. C., W. B. Cooper, lieutenant governor of North Carolina, today was one of four men arrested as one of the instigators of the alleged plot. He is now under a $10,000 bond.

On Vacation Trip

Miss Edith Wolcott left this afternoon for Colorado Springs, Denver and Victor, Colo., to spend her vacation.

Miss Herwick Here

Miss Mary Herwick came Wednesday noon from Kansas City to spend a three weeks' vacation at the home of her sister, Mrs. Will Whitney, and family. Miss Herwick is taking a course in nurse's training at the General Hospital.

Several Matches Played Yesterday

Several matches in the championship flight of the classification golf tournament at the Maryville Country Club were played yesterday afternoon. They are as follows:

George L. Wilfley had 4 up over M. A. Peery.

Harry Snyder was 3 up on Dr. C. V. Martin.

Eugene Yehle had 1 up on Theodore Robinson on the 18th holes.

E. R. Miller had 5 up on Lloyd Heifner on 9 holes.

Burt M. Rowley had 7 up on Ray Hull in 9 holes.

On account of the rain last night and this morning, no matches were played today.

MAY HIKE GASOLINE TO OVER 20 CENTS

STANDARD OIL OFFICIALS CONFER AT CHICAGO TODAY

HURTING INDEPENDENTS

Small Producers Say Recent Slash Will Prove Ruinous—Motorists Taking Advantage of Rates

Pierre, S. D., Aug. 16—Following a conference with a committee representing the independent producers of the state, Gov. W. H. McMaster has consented to increase the price of gasoline to 20 cents a gallon.

Governor McMaster brought on the recent gasoline cut when he instructed the state highway commission's supply depot at Mitchell to supply gasoline at 16 cents a gallon.

Chicago, Aug. 16—A return to high gasoline prices from the recent low level which motorists welcomed a few days ago, looms today, and at the same time a change in the South Dakota situation.

Gasoline prices will probably be boosted to 20 cents a gallon as a result of a conference of Standard Oil Co., Governor McMasters of South Dakota indirectly caused the recent slash in the Middle West. However, independent producers in South Dakota protested to the Governor that the new rate would be ruinous.

The Standard Oil officials declare that the new price may be over 20 cents a gallon and that the action of cutting to 16 cents a gallon was premature and not based on sound business costs.

Motorists are taking all the gasoline they can get at the present price and every available tank is being filled in anticipation of a rise as sudden as the recent drop.

Aguanildo Appeals to Gov. Leonard Wood

Manila, P. I., Aug. 16—General Crane and Colonel Johnson are today investigating charges made by Aguanildo, famous Filipino leader, that a hostile band headed by Savanio is attempting to steal land by armed force. Aguanildo has appealed to General Leonard Wood for protection.

Back Here After 30 Years

William Irwin and grandson, Fred Irwin of Kansas City, arrived in Maryville yesterday for a visit at the home of the former's brother-in-law, James Conklin. Mr. Irwin is a former resident of Maryville, his father having been one of the pioneers of Nodaway County. This is the first time that Mr. Irwin has been in Maryville for thirty years.

Will Preach at Pickering

Elder C. H. Cacy of the old school or Primitive Baptist is making a short visit with C. J. Carmichael of Pickering. At the request of Mr. Carmichael and his afflicted wife, Elder Cacy will preach at the Carmichael home in Pickering on Wednesday, August 22, at 2 o'clock. All lovers of truth are requested to come and hear him.

Mrs. William Rogers of Farragut, Ia., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Miller. Mr. Rodgers will join his wife here Saturday.

Miss Genevieve Miller is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Evans, south of Maryville. She will spend the week-end there.

James Skidmore of Barnard was a Maryville visitor.

Robert Staples of Elmo was in Maryville on business this morning.

MORE BIRTHS THAN DEATHS IN JULY

ACCORDING TO REPORT OF COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

MANY CORRECTIONS MADE

Seventy School Children Were Examined—Lectures To Bedside Care and Little Mothers' Clubs

Births exceeded deaths in Nodaway County in July by thirty-five, according to the monthly report of the Nodaway County Health Department. The births numbered fifty-three and the deaths eighteen.

Sixteen lectures were delivered during the month and about 400 persons attended the various meetings. There were thirty visits made to cases, contacts and suspects of communicable diseases.

Seventeen hundred cows were tuberculin tested during the month.

Ninety-three babies and children were examined during July and seven home visits were made. Seventy school children were examined, fifty-nine of which were found defective. The defects numbered 101, but many corrections have been made.

Four classes in home hygiene and care of the sick were organized during July, with an enrollment of seventy women. Two Little Mothers' Clubs with a total enrollment of twenty-five were organized.

The diseases and number of cases reported during July were as follows: Scarlet fever, six; measles, eight; mumps, five; typhoid fever, two; chickenpox, one; tuberculosis (lungs and bowels), one.

The unusual regulations of the state board of health for the control of communicable diseases, have been carried out. The health conferences that have been held in the different towns of the County have been well attended.

A series of sixteen lectures was delivered to the students of the class in Vitalized agriculture at the State Teachers College.

One school building has been remodeled to meet the lighting requirements, and a number of school buildings have been repaired and repainted.

Hopkins to Have a Golf Course Soon

(Hopkins Journal)

There is now a movement on foot to establish a golf course near Hopkins if land can be bought or rented at the right price. Golf is becoming very popular throughout the land as it is splendid exercise, and, like olives you form an appetite for it that calls for more. It takes 80 acres of land to lay off a standard course but sometimes a club gets along with forty acres. Dr. Kirk thinks fifty members can be secured in this vicinity willing to pay $50 a year if the right spot can be secured. Golf is not only an interesting game but one of the healthiest of any of the American sports.

Death of Harry W. Cooper at Price, tah

Husband of Mrs. Grace Avery Cooper Died Monday—Burial in Winterset, Ia

Word has been received by Maryville friends of the death of Harry W. Cooper, husband of Mrs. Grace Avery Cooper, which occurred at noon Monday at his home in Price, Utah. Mrs. Cooper, with the body, left Price Tuesday night for Winterset, Ia., the former home of Mr. Cooper, where the funeral will be held. Mr. Cooper was the owner and publisher of the News-Advocate and Price had been his home for about nine years. Mrs. Cooper was formerly Miss Grace Avery and she was born and reared in Maryville. Mr. Cooper's death was due to tuberculosis.

Guests At Hughes Home

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Espy and sons George and Roth of Springfield, Mo., arrived in Maryville yesterday evening and spent last night and today the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hughes. They left this afternoon for Braddyville, Ia., for a visit with friends and relatives.

To Visit In Kansas and Colorado

Fred Sturm of Maryville left yesterday for St. Francis, Kansas where he will visit his uncle, Pete Sturm. He will also visit his uncle, Will Donahue, and his cousin, Alfred Sturm at Yuma, Colo. He expects to be gone about three weeks.

Former Resident Returns from China

Mrs. E. B. Sheldon Visited Her Daughter, Mrs. J. W. Dyson, Soo Chow

Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, a former resident of Maryville, returned about two weeks ago from Soo Chow, China, where she has been spending the last year with her daughter, Mrs. Joseph W. Dyson, and family. Prof. Dyson, who was formerly head of the science department of Howard-Payne College at Fayette, Mo., has been teaching in the university at Soo Chow since 1919. Mrs. Sheldon is at present visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. R. Wright, in Fulton, Mo.

BARRIER REMOVED AT MINE MEETING

MINERS AND OPERATORS CONCUR ON CHECK OFF PROBLEM

TO ATLANTIC CITY SOON

It Is Thought That Adjournment Will Be Taken To There—Will Resume Conference Then

New York, Aug. 16—Representatives of the miners and operators and members of the United States Coal Commission gathered for their second day's conference here this morning.

The barrier which has stood between the employer and employe seems to be removed. John I. Lewis, international union head, and Samuel D. Wiggoner, chairman of the operators, have agreed to wipe off the "check off" problems from their slates.

Lewis said that the miners would cease their demands for their own "check off" through which union dues are taken from the miners' wages and sent direct to union headquarters by the operators.

Wiggoner has agreed, on the part of the operators, to abandon the "check off' system by which they subtract from miners' wages money due the company on rental, fuel, food and other accounts.

It was expected that today's session would not be long drawn out and that representatives of the miners and operators would adjourn to Atlantic City to resume their conference which deadlocked there several weeks ago.

Fifty Saved When Steamers Collide

Liverpool, Aug. 16—Fifty persons had a narrow escape from drowning here this morning when the steamer Douglass sank in the Mersey River after a collision. The passengers were taken to shore a short time after the accident.

Blockade is Extended by Allied Commission

Mayence, Aug. 16—The allied high commission today extended indefinitely the blockade between occupied and unoccupied Germany. It was to have been lifted today.

Aged Hopkins Woman Dies Suddenly at Home

Mrs. Sarah Ann Grimes, eighty-four year old resident of Hopkins died at the family residence in Hopkins yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. Her death was sudden and unexpected, being due to a stroke of apoplexy. At the time of of the stroke, she was preparing a dinner for her sister, Mrs. Sears and family of Illinois, who were visiting her.

Mrs. Grimes is survived by six children, Mrs. James McMillan of Loveland, Colo.; Bud Grimes of Akron, Colo.; Mrs. Hersh Lewis of Creston, Ia.; Mrs. Nora Broyles and Sherman and Harve Grimes, all of Hopkins.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the residence, conducted by the Rev. C. E. Canon. Burial will be in the Hopkins cemetery.

Called to St. Louis

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Null left for St. Louis Monday night, called by the serious illness of Mr. Null's mother, Mrs. W. H. Null, who suffered a stroke of paralysis some time ago. Her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Price, who came home several days ago, after spending a month with her mother is ill in the St. Francis Hospital, and is unable to go.

Charles Myers of Conception Jct was in Maryville on business today.

KEMMERER BOWED WITH GRIEF TODAY

NINETY-NINE MINERS NOW KNOWN TO BE LOST

TO HOLD AN INQUEST

Coroner Has Announced That He Would Endeavor To Fix Blame For Explosion— Services Friday

Kemmerer, Wyo., Aug. 16—Bowed with grief, stricken Kemmerer today is planning to bury the ninety-nine coal miners whose lives were snuffed out in the Kemmerer Coal Co., mine No. 1, Tuesday morning.

Latest figures given out by the mine office showed that 134 workmen entered the mine and that thirty-five have been rescued alive. One man, Thomas Roberts, is still entombed. He was the victim of fate, as he entered the shaft on the fatal day to substitute for his brother. His father has haunted the mine for two days and nights praying that by some miracle his son may have been spared. That he is dead, however, is conceded.

The local mine workers, in a meeting today, made plans for the burial of the dead. A general memorial service will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon. Fraternal organizations will be invited to participate and a general day of mourning will be declared by the officers.

Hundreds of miners from Kemmerer, Elko, Evanston and other Wyoming coal centers have volunteered to gather at the cemetery, a mile north of here, to prepare graves for the stricken workers.

Coroner E. W. Holmes has announced that an inquest will probably be held sometime today. Meanwhile the cause of the explosion is unknown.

Pete Patterson, state mine inspector, has made no statement on the condition of the mine and members of the United States Bureau of Mine Rescue Crew were likewise quiet on the subject.

S. Pratt, the secretary of the International Coal Company, said that the mine had undergone periodical inspection. He said that the physical condition of the frontier mine was unchanged. The mine is one of the deepest in this section of the country. The main shaft goes down to a depth of nearly 7000 feet.

P. J. Quealey, head of the Kemmerer Coal Co., said today that the widows and orphans of the dead miners would not suffer. Quealey said that the mine would provide for their wants and that they would not require outside aid.

Rainfall Was 1.55 Inches this Morning

The rain last night and this morning amounted to 1.55 inches, according to J. R. Brink, weather observer. Accompanying the rain storm last night there was a hail storm of short duration and several sharp flashes of lightning.

Fillmore was reported to have had a water spout last night.

A horse was struck by lightning at Pickering last night in the electrical storm. The horse belongs to Newt Kelley, who lives northwest of the school hours in Pickering. The horse was found this morning near a fence so it is supposed the charge which killed the horse was conducted by the fence.

There was a hail storm at Pickering last night but not much damage was done to any of the crops.

There was a general rain all over the county last night and this morning, although the hail was only around the vicinity of Maryville.

The Maryville Electric Light and Power Company reported that a transformer was struck by lightning on the Maryville-Ravenwood line. The transformer was burned out by the bolt but is being replaced today.

The temperature yesterday was 87.

Wallace Hilsabeck returned to Maryville today. Mr. Hilsabeck has been working in South Dakota for the past two months.

Telus and John Thompson of Barnard were in Maryville on business today.

THE WEATHER

Cloudy tonight; Friday generally fair, not much change in temperature.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

HAVE EYES AND SEE NOT

French statesmen, keen and oftimes brilliant on other subjects, seem to be fatally blind to the most elementary of economical laws in their dealings with Germany. To an outsider it would seem that either their intense hatred of Germany or their visions of continental domination had badly warped their judgment.

The world agrees that Germany should pay for her folly and should be made to pay to the limit of her ability but, when you destroy her ability to make money, you destroy her ability to pay. The man who killed the goose that laid the golden eggs lost his income. He might have done less and still have suffered financially. He might have let the goose live but not to eat and still there would have been no eggs.

France complains bitterly that Great Britain's position calls for sacrifices on the part of France. France made a terrific financial sacrifice when she went independently and alone into the Ruhr against the advice and judgment of her allied associates. England refused to go in then because she saw disaster to all of Europe if the attempt failed. Now that it has plainly failed, England can not be blamed for not wanting the destruction of the whole industrial and commercial fabric of the continent to be destroyed beyond repair.

England has never been accused of financial myopea. She does not let passions run to the point of consuming her judgment. England suffered beyond estimate during the war and is still suffering but she recognizes that nothing good can come from a country whose industries are stilled, whose money is without value and whose people are starving and in open rebellion against their own government. England wants her money as badly as does France but England knows that she can collect more from a prosperous country than from one that is bankrupt and without hope.

Nor is that all. There is an undercurrent of rebellion and anarchism throughout all Europe. If something is not done to stabilize the situation France will be in serious distress and perhaps England too. Already the francs of France and Belgium have dropped to a new low level of value in the world's money market and the pound sterling has also suffered in value. It has taken courage on the part of England to take the stand they have against the policies of their closest friends of the war but she knows the fuse has burned dangerously close to the end.

And, while French officials are storming at England, they may be secretly glad that England has shown them a way out. After plunging into a scheme that has required an expenditure of one dollar for every ninety cents collected from Germany, their own people have been in no mood to be trifled with. Great hopes had been aroused and the officials dared not tell them the truth that the scheme was a failure. The government of France might also be upset when the people learned what a bad bargain they had made for themselves.

The diplomats and politicians have a good deal to say about the balance of power but the real balance of power with most people is the bank balance.

What the Governor of North Dakota said to the Oil Companies deserves to be historically preserved along with what the Governor of North Carolina said to the Governor of South Carolina.

The average annual per capita fire loss in the United States is $4.75 while that in Great Britain is 72 cents. This is something that both states and cities should look to and give careful thought. If it is possible for Great Britain to get along on a loss averaging 72 cents for each individual, it should not be necessary for the United States to stand a loss more than six times as great.

Dr. H. J. Tandy, Chiropracter will be at the Montgomery Shoe Store 16, 17 and 18. 15-17

Forumettes

You can get along without
Any trouble, but if you
Do you will not get much of
any place.

You will never find a motorist, who will believe all another motorist will say about the things his car can do.

It was not more than 20 years ago that people sold their saddle horses and bought "horseless carriages."

Here is another thing you will never read about—A wife coming home from her vacation and finding that her husband kept the dishes washed up while she was gone.

That Sounds Good

Editor—We are always criticizing the politicians for being so affable and pleasant, saying that it is all put on. Even if it is all put on the world surely would be a lot happier if all the people would put on an affable front and extend a glad hand.

—H. O. R.

Uncle Abner says many a man is thankful that the plans of his youthful days did not materialize.

Hard on the Fathers

Our neighbor's little girl saw a mother cat carrying a kitten by the nape of its neck across the back yard. She pulled the kitten from the mother's mouth saying, "You naughty cat you are not fit to be a mother. You are hardly fit to be a father."

The man who knows his own weakness is in a position to apply his strength.

The cop on the corner says the auto driver who stops to think is the one who thinks to stop.

Our idea of a pathetic figure is a boy who has to stay in and play with a girl cousin when the gang is outside having a good time.

The observer of the passer-by in Maryville says an unusual thing these days is to see a girl who insists on wearing an opaque skirt.

They must have been writing songs since the days of the ark. Yesterday's mail brought in these from a reader of the Forumettes: "Ocean Roll," "Just Tell Them That You Saw Me," "She Is Only a Bird in a Gilden Cage," "When the Midnight Choo Choo Leaves for Alabam," "Ham, Ham, Ham," and "I Wonder Who Is Kissing Her Now."

Louise, the stenographer, says she can't see the need of spending four years at college to acquire culture when you can attend chautauqua for six days and acquire it with side show frills.

A former service friend of ours says there is nothing which will make him shudder these days like going to the attic and taking a glance at the heavy shoes he wore in service.

Vagrant Musings

Have you not often wondered just what is meant by a "cheerful liar."

It often happens that a dull person shines in an emergency.

It is no trouble at all to have what you want if your desires are not beyond means.

If we knew everybody else like we know ourselves we would be afraid to shake hands with the average person.

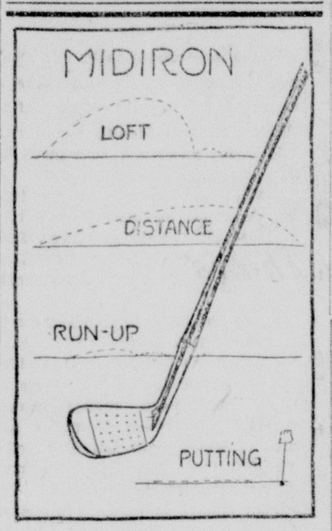
Why should a woman go through her husband's pockets when she generally gets it all on Saturday night anyway?

Today's Vaudeville Patter

Biff—I can't lend you any money. Why don't you ask your wife. She is rich.

Bang—I have asked her so much I am afraid she will have me arrested for begging.

Golf Pointers



What club does the average player use with the most confidence?

Answered by
TOM KERRIGAN

Professional Siwanoy Country Club, Mount Vernon, N. Y. A consistent place winner in big tournaments. In British Open, 1921, he finished third, two points behind Hutchison and Wethered, tied for first.

The mid-iron is the most popular club with the average player. It seems to have the right loft to get the ball up in the air and, at the same time, to get good distance. It is also used for run-up shots just off the green and for putting on rough greens.

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Grandview

Mrs. T. F. Payne was hostess to the consolidated friendship club at her home on Thursday afternoon with fourteen members present. Time was spent socially, refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Hines and Miss Mildred Payne gave several piano selections and solos. The next meeting will be with Mrs. James Jobe on August 22.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hart entertained the club members and families at their home Friday night. Ice cream and cake were served. Those present were Mrs. T. F. Payne and family, Harry Wilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Logan, Edd Girling, Mr. and Mrs. Erle Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Kim Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. James Jobe, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bunker, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hawk and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hart and son, Mrs. Mollie Boyd and son, Austin Wilson, Hilda Hines.

Mr. and Mrs. Kim Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Erle Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Al Cline, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Logan, enjoyed a picnic supper on Platte river Sunday evening.

Visitors at A. C. Hart's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Edd Lawler, Roy Hobson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hart and son, spent Sunday in Parnell at Geo. Wilson's.

Hilda Hines spent the week end with Doris Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clas. Kimberling of Grant City and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payne of Allendale were Sunday afternoon visitors at T. F. Payne, Mildred Payne, accompanied her brother home.

Mr. Karl Richard and wife and Mildred Payne and Virgil Payne visited at the Houston home near Burlington Junction Sunday.

Mrs. E. Crowson of Parnell spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. James Jobe.

Bethany

Mr. and Mrs. Allen McNeal and son, Frank returned Saturday from the West where they have been visiting relatives for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and two children returned Saturday to their home in Kansas after a weeks visit with home folks.

Mrs. J. D. Elliott visited her daughter, one day last week.

Most of the Bethany people attended Sunday school and basket dinner at Maryville Sunday. All reported a fine time.

Jim and Rubert Thompson spent the day Sunday at the Pete Hanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vulgamont called on Allen McNeill's Sunday afternoon.

Edwin Davis of Barnard, is visiting in the Bethany neighborhood this week.

The Bethany women cleared $18 at the Council sale last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gray visited in Fillmore Sunday.

Mr. Bob Donan spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Schuyler Shields.

A revival meeting began at the Mt. Zion Church, northwest of Bethany Monday night. Brother Francisco is conducting the meeting.

Sells To Highway Commission

Charles A. Holt of the Holt Supply Company announced the sale of a McCormick-Deering 15-30 engine to the State Highway Commission. The engine will be used to pull the road maintainer which is being used on the state highway.

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Best Irish Potatoes, per bushel 75c
New Sweet Potatoes, fancy dry quality, lb 10c
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Fresh Baked Cocoanut Cookies per lb 20c
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SOCIETY

Entertained at Dinner

Mrs. Emma DeMoss entertained at six o'clock dinner last evening Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lloyd and children, Clarence and Lucy and Virginia Bennett.

Heitman Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heitman entertained at dinner Monday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. James Carnagey of Belton, Mo. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Carnagey, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. DeVore and Miss Anna Kane of Denver, Colo.

For Illinois Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Airy entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday evening at their home on North Main street. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Blake Alexander and children, Maude and George of Bushnell, Ill., Fred Lewis and the hosts.

Rockford Community Club

The members of the Rockford Community club and their families enjoyed an ice cream social at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McDowell. About 120 attended the affair yesterday evening.

Lewis Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lewis, Sr., entertained at 6 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home on North Main street. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Blake Alexander and children, Maude and George of Bushnell, Ill., Fred Lewis and the hosts.

Herron Homemaking Circle

The Herron Homemaking Circle met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. S. E. Fisher as hostess. The time was spent socially after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The next meeting of the club will be August 29 with Mrs. Harry Fisher. Those present were Mrs. Orb Griffey, Mrs. George Coulter and daughter, Velma, Mrs. Harry Fisher and daughter, Helen Pauline, Mrs. Glenn Guthrie Miss Mary Taylor, Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Miss Grace Fisher and the hostess.

Mother's Club Meeting

The Mother's Club met yesterday at the college park with Mrs. Jack Tarpley as hostess. The regular business meeting was held and Mrs. Tarpley was elected president; Mrs. E. L. Padgette, vice-president; and Mrs. Earl Henderson, secretary-treasurer. Plans were made for a picnic supper to be held tomorrow evening on the lawn of the Clarence Hopp home, west of Maryville for the families of the members. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Ben Malam. Those present included Mrs. Charley Thorpe and children, Mary Catherine, Marguerite, John Henry and Violet, Mrs. B. F. Cline and son, Muriel, Mrs. Ed Pyle, Mrs. W. D. Williams, Mrs. Lee Peter and daughter, Margaret Lee, Mrs. Charley Seiler and daughter, Clara Ellen, Mrs. Ben Malam, Mrs. Jack Tarpley, Mrs. E. L. Padgette and daughter, Shirley, Mrs. Alva Maul and daughter, Evelyn, Mrs. Clarence Hopp and daughter, Evelyn, and Mrs. T. H. Leet and daughters Helen and Charlotte.

Pi Epsilon Pi Picnic

Misses Ora Mae Condon and Mabel Cook will entertain with an indoor picnic tonight at the home of their sponsor, Mrs. W. J. Montgomery on West Third street in honor of Misses Helen Dean, Mabel Curnutt, Laveta Epperson, Mildred Shinabargar, Marie Cloud, Lucile Wright and Alice Peery, who are leaving to teach this fall. Those in the party will include the honor guests, Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, Misses Elizabeth Leet, Alice McMurry, Alice Welling, Marie Wright, Mary Wooldridge, Virginia Robinson, Margaret Remus, Mrs. William N. Deatherage, Mrs. Byron Costello, Mrs. Martin Lewis, Jr., and the hostesses.

Deerwester-Button

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Deerwester of Pittsburg, Kan., announce the marriage of their daughter, Dorothy to Ray Edward Button. The wedding took place Saturday, August 11 at Bellingham, Washington. Dr. Deerwester was the first president of the State Teachers College here and is at present connected with the State Normal School at Pittsburg, Kan. Mr. and Mrs. Button will make their home in Bellingham.

Coolidge Flayed for Appointment

Democratic Committee Says Action Is Tantamount to Announcement of Candidacy at Next Election

Washington, Aug. 16—Appointment of C. Bascomb Slemp as secretary to President Coolidge was occasion yesterday of the Democratic national committee's first attack on the executive since he took over his new duties.

In a statement issued through its publicity department the committee said the selection of Mr. Slemp, who, for years, represented the Ninth Virginia district in the house of representatives, was "tantamount to an official announcement that President Coolidge is a candidate for the presidential nomination in 1924 and that the appointment is the first step to round up delegates from the southern states for Coolidge."

Declaring that Mr. Slemp was "exposed on the floor of the house, Dec. 15, 1922, in connection with the alleged trafficking in offices by Republicans in southern states," the statement said that his appointment as secretary to the president "came both as a surprise and a shock to the whole country, because it carries with it necessarily, an indorsement of office jobbery in the south."

Attached to the statment were copies of letters addressed to B. R. Powell, the Republican referee in Virginia and signed either by Mr. Slemp or his secretary, which were read into the Congressional Record last December by Representative Harrison, Democrat of Virginia.

"The expose by Congressman Harrison is one phase of the record of the man whom President Coolidge has named as secretary to the president, an office considered by many to be more important and carrying with it more influence than a cabinet portfolio," said today's statment.

St. Louis, Aug. 16—President Calvin Coolidge made a good selection when he chose former Congressman C. B. Slemp of Virginia his secretary, declared Jacob L. Babler yesterday, national Republican committeeman of Missouri. In the opinion of Mr. Babler the president's secretary will be of great assistance to the Republican cause in the south, especially if a controversy arises over the national delegates of the south.

Visiting In Omaha

Mrs. John Airy and daughter, Lucile went to Omaha, Neb., yesterday for a few days visit with friends and relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Crow and son, Warren, returned Tuesday evening from an auto trip to Cedar Rapids, Ia.

L. G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, went to Hopkins today at noon.

Mrs. Albert Bell returned last evening from Liberty, Mo., where she has been visiting relatives for the past two weeks.

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Every Apron quite a little more money. Here a chance to save. Is worth

Every

one of the seven attractive styles featured in this sale in a brand new creation—not one old style among them. Certainly you don't want to miss seeing them, at least. Five of the aprons are fashioned of brand new patterns in standard Count Percale—the other two are in highly colored plaid ginghams. of gooq duality. The variety of colors and paterns is as unusual as the price.

You

will be delighted, not only with the smartness of the new styles, but particularly will you be pleased with the new patterns and colors. Light colors are used mostly, although a few dark collors in Ginghams are here and in some cases, there are combinations of light and dark colors. As a whole this is the most attractive lot of Aprons we have ever put on Sale, and the price so low.

These Apron Dresses

were made by a manufacturer who builds up to a standard and not down to a price. We bought them for this August Sale because they were new and attractive—because of their artistic design, the excellence of the materials used and the careful workmanship. You need only to inspect them to find that —

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Every Apron is made of good percale or gingham,
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White cherries, blackberries, loganberries, red raspberries, black raspberries, strawberries, mixed fruits, gooseberries, peaches, apricots, pitted fresh prunes, pineapple, apple sauce sauce, grape fruit, and blueberries.

VEGETABLES

Spinach, cauliflower, asparagus, peas, corn, baked beans, kidney beans, string beans, cut string beans, okra, tomatoes and stewed onions.

MIXED VEGETABLES
No. 2 cans of all kinds of the best grade of vegetables, canned especially for soups, per can.....20c

35c pkgs. Gold Dust **29c**
..1 can Boraxo Toilet Powder Free

5c Sea Foam, ..7 for **25c**

10c Ivory Flakes.....8c

15c pkgs. Lux, 2 for..... 23c

15c Bottle Bluing **10c**

5c bars Luna Soap, 6 for.....25c

15c bars Ivory Soap.....11c

10c bars Ivory Soap, 2 for.....15c

8c bars P. & G. Soap, 5 for.....30c

8c boxes Light House Cleanser **5c**

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The first run grade of imported Italian olive oil.
$1.35 cans, quart **$1.15**
75c cans, 1 pint **65c**
40c cans, ½ pint..... **33c**

45c cans Ripe Olives.....40c

35c cans Calumet Baking Powder....29c

25c cans K. C. Baking Powder.....21c

4lbs Best Grade Bulk Rice **25c**

25c cakes Baker's Chocolate.....21c

10c pkgs. Yeast Foam..... 8c

15c pkg Pan Jell.....11c

20c boxes Grape Nuts.....17c

15c boxes Shredded Wheat.....11c

10c boxes Kellogg's Bran Flakes **8c**

15c boxes Jello.....10c

15c boxes Jell Ice Cream Cream Powder.8c

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GIVE "OLD PEOPLE'S PARTY"

Iceland Young Folk Hold Entertainment Once a Year, and Call It Gamalmennasamsati.

What a word! Translated it means "old people's party"—an institution that is held once a year round Christmas in the little fishing town of Isafjord in Iceland. The party, which is given by a union of 90 young people, is the one big event in the lives of the old people of the place. They begin to talk about it in March, and it is their chief topic of conversation until December. Early in the year, too, the 90 members of the union begin to make preparations, for, as there are to be between 300 and 400 old people, much preliminary work is necessary. For example, the young men and women must see that good "party" clothes are provided for all the old people who need them; it would not do for them to go in shabby clothes. The party must have an air of prosperity as well as good cheer.

The festival starts at five o'clock in the evening and does not close until on the following morning. First there is a big tea. Then when all are satisfied and things have been cleared away comes a play, which the old people dearly love; then there is a concert, during which all the old Icelandic and Danish songs are sung. After the concert the young men and women play games with the old people, and then wind up with all the old-fashioned dances. And they must see that each old person has at least one dance with some member of the union.

During the war the old people would often ask anxiously: "Will there be a party this year?" For they realized that it was almost impossible to get fruit of any kind or the sugar with which to make the great variety of little cakes of which the old people are so fond. "Oh, yes," was the customary answer, "the party will take place at the usual time." And it did, for the 90 young members denied themselves sugar and fruit so that the old people would not be disappointed.—Youth's Companion.

USE OLD ROMAN RESERVOIRS

Sources of Water Supply Constructed Centuries Ago Employed by People of the Holy Land.

The Pools of Solomon—which have nothing to do with that monarch except that they are located near the gardens named for him—were constructed by Roman engineers to supply a population that must have been much the size of that which occupies the Holy land today. They consist of three large reservoirs with a total capacity of 40,500,000 gallons, and are situated about eight miles from the capital.

Two have been cleaned out, the leaks that have developed during centuries of disuse have been stopped up, and Jerusalem has waterworks as modern as the heart of an engineer could desire.

Even the surface aqueduct and tunnels that the Romans left have been repaired and are in use, connecting the pools with their source of supply, a large spring rising in the cavern called Bir Darash.

"Rat Tail" Cigars' Days Numbered.

Four old men in Pittsburgh, all upward of sixty-five, are engaged in rolling a certain form of "smoke" known as the "rat tail." The rat tail, which is often confused with the stogie, is a long thin, handwrapped roll of tobacco similar in appearance to the rodent's tail. These old men are said to have been trying to teach their art to younger men and women without success. The stogie, also indigenous to Pittsburgh, differs in waist girth and in other respects from the rat tail. Rat tails are tightly wrapped and stogies are more closely rolled. The tobacco also differs.

When the first Conestoga wagons rolled their way over the Alleghenies the Indians who lived on the site of Fort Duquesne traded with the pioneers the rough outlines of what came later to be developed as stogies. The name Conestoga became corrupted to stogie.

Indian Mummy Centuries Old.

Wrapped in tattered deerskin robes and covered by a piece of a coarse grass matting probably woven by the hands of an Indian squaw centuries ago, the partly mummified remains of a prehistoric Indian have been discovered under an overhanging bluff on the Cowskin river, near Noel, Mo., archeologists announced.

The party making the discovery is in charge of M. R. Harrington and represents the Museum of the American Indian, Heye foundation, of New York city.

"We regard the find as particularly interesting," Mr. Harrington said, "because it reveals the mode of dress of these early Indians, whom we have called, for convenience, the Ozark Bluff Dwellers."

Everybody Glad.

A long-winded inquirer for Frank Henley, adjutant of the Indiana department of the American Legion, had been talking to one of the attaches of the department for about ten minutes, despite the fact she was trying to get rid of him all that time. He kept repeating:

"I'm glad I called, anyway, I got to talk to you."

Finally the young woman at the telephone, in a tone meant to be frigid and crushing, said:

"I'm glad you're glad you called," and slammed the receiver down with a bang.—Indianapolis News.

SILENCE AT AUCTION SALES

System Employed in Holland Might Be Found of Value in the United States.

Auction sales can now be carried on by electricity through a method that has been tried out in Holland. The proverbial taciturnity of the people in that country accounts for the success of the method there, and no doubt most people would be glad to do away with the objectionable noise that prevails at auctions.

In the present case, the method is applied to selling eggs in the weekly markets which are held in the agricultural districts. The eggs are sold in lots of 2,500 in this case. Each bidder has a numbered seat provided with a push button and electric wiring that goes to the seller's stand. A large dial is set up here and it contains figures around it ranging from lowest to highest prices. Near it is a board with corresponding sets of figures and each one of these can be lighted up by an electric lamp. The seller explains the nature of the goods and then makes a contact to a motor device so that the hand moves very slowly over the dial. When at a certain figure, a bidder presses his button and this lights up the corresponding figure on the board and the hand stops. Then it goes on again and a second bidder can indicate a larger figure, and so on. The board shows at once which is the highest figure bid and an electric register also indicates the number of the seat occupied by the bidder.

ARROWS MADE TO "WHISTLE"

Ingenious Device Employed by the Chinese in Their Conduct of Military Examinations.

In the Chinese collection at the American Museum of Natural History are to be found some unusually fine specimens of whistling arrows. These were sometimes known as "drum arrows" and were employed, in connection with the drum bow, by the Chinese in military examinations. The arrows are made of wood, about three feet in length, have three rows of feathers extending up about a foot from the end and have heads composed of bone or wood in which are apertures, so arranged that as the arrow passes through the air, the wind enters these holes and produces a sharp or deep sound, according to the size of the holes.

The drum bow used with these arrows was shot on foot at a target consisting of six concentric leather rings, alternately red and white with a yellow center. The candidate had to shoot his arrow so that it would pierce the target. It was not counted if it merely touched the target.

Sell Wolverine Fur to Eskimo.

Selling furs for consignment to the Eskimo sounds like a paradox, but that is exactly what took place at the opening day of the sale of the Canadian Fur Auction Sales, Limited. The explanation was more simple than it looked. F. H. Pingres, general manager and also auctioneer for the sale, said that the Eskimos of Alaska have plenty of beautiful seal, fox and similar furs.

But each Eskimo with any pretensions as a beau desires above all things to have a wolverine headdress for himself and his favored squaws. So the Alaska dealers load up with the choicest skins they can get from the Eskimo and bring them to auction sales in Montreal, where they barter them for wolverine skins, which they take back to Alaska for the adornment of the Eskimo beaux and belles. The Eskimos are satisfied, and the various bartering processes are not done without profit.—Exchange.

Submarine Thawing.

The use of electricity for thawing frozen water pipes of city houses is no longer uncommon. An unusual undertaking, however, was the successful application of the process to a six-inch submarine main, 1,700 feet long, that, resting on the bed of the East river, connects North Brother island with New York city.

When an ordinary waterpipe is to be thawed both ends are cut, and the passage of a comparatively small electric current through the resistant pipe metal generates enough heat to melt the ice in the pipe. Although the same general plan was followed with the frozen submarine main, all the conditions were so different that it took five days of applying powerful electric currents and of constant pumping with a pressure of eighty pounds to do the work.

Most Wonderful of All Prodigies.

An eleven-year-old Russian boy, Shuro Cherkaski, who has recently arrived in this country, is pronounced by some well-known musicians to be the greatest piano prodigy that has ever been heard. He plays many of the most difficult compositions with the understanding that is to be found only in old and experienced artists. His family was reduced to abject poverty before the lad was discovered, having parted with all their possessions for the purchase of fuel and food.

Solomon to the Summer Girl.

Consider thy apparel, for fine feathers make fine birds, and no maiden with the glad rags is as homely as the Lord made her. Yet be not extravagant in thy attire, lest some youth shall flee from thee, saying, "Wherewithal shall I get the scads to doll up this Jane in the similitude of the fashion plate to which she is accustomed?"—Miami Metropolis.

SMOOT SYAS BONUS BILL WILL PASS

AND WILL BE SIGNED BY PRESIDENT COOLIDGE

MAY USE SALE TAX

To Provide Necessary Revenue In Order To Pay Obligation To 4 Million World War Veterans

Washington, Aug. 16—Congress will provide a bonus for the 4 million World War veterans as soon as it reconvenes, Senator Smoot said today to the International News.

President Coolidge will sign the new bonus bill, it is said, and even though he should protest, it will become a law over his protest, Smoot declared.

A conference was held today between Senator Smoot and President Coolidge at which time, the Senator presented his proposed bill together with his methods for raising the required revenue.

The Smoot bill contains provisions for a sale tax to be paid by the consumer.

Congress will pass some kind of a measure similar to the one vetoed by the late President Harding.

"I feel that Congress should pass a measure to meet the obligations to the World War veterans," Senator Smoot said today. "I know that the farmers and laboring men of the country object to the sale tax but this is the only just solution for the problem and will be written in our laws that way. I fail to see why anyone should object to it.

The proposed sale tax is a graduated tax on expenditures," Senator Smoot continued. "For example, there would be no tax on a $3 pair of shoes, a small tax on a $5 pair and a higher tax on a $10 pair. When they thoroughly understand this plan, I think the farmers and laboring men will endorse it."

To Wapello, Ia.

Mrs. W. A. Miller and daughters, Harriet and Vivian, left today for Wapello, Ia., where they will visit Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Weber.

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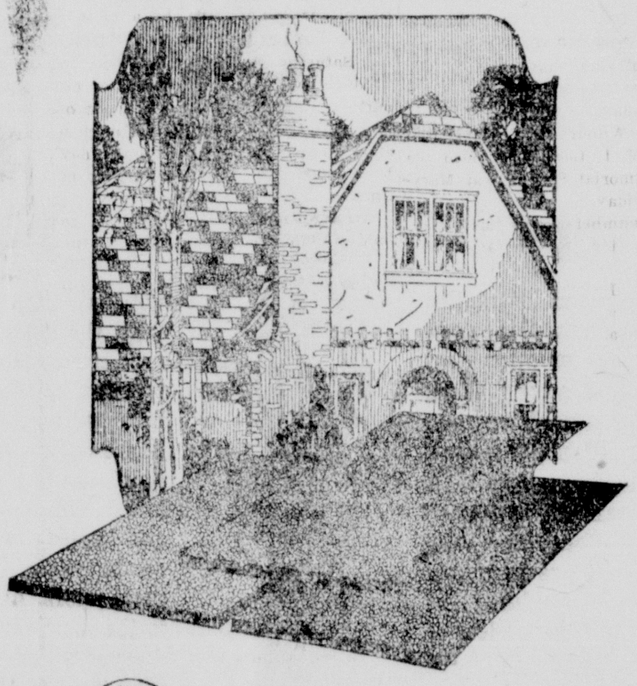

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FOR SALE—Tires 32x4, 33x4 and 34x4 Fabrics $14; 31x4 $13.50; 31x3½ Fabrics $12.50. Standard Brand Tires. Farmers Auto Supply Co. 16-22

Four Duroc brood sows will farrow early in September. J. L. Clayton, Pickering, Mo., Farmers Phone 17J. 15-21*

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FOR SALE—Alfalfa seed, best grade domestic seed at residence 1 1-2 blocks east of the square on Third street. Inoculator free. Elmer Fraser. 14-20

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BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE — Stoves, furniture and rugs. Case Furniture Exchange. A2-S2

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Salesmen—Full or part time. Accident and health insurance. $5-$10 and $15 annually. Also monthly policies with a natural death benefit. Liberal compensation. Write now for your district Department N. National Accident Society 320 Broadway New York City. Established 1885. 14-19

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Notice to Farmers—We accept wheat in exchange for flour at reasonable rates. Our doors are open from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. every working day. Flour fully guaranteed. Gronert-Maynes Co., Millers, Shambaugh, Iowa. 15-17

See the new Dodge Brothers touring car $930 delivered, Arnold-Sillers Motor Co., Maryville, Mo. 15-21

FOR RENT—30 acres of blue grass pasture. Lattin Bros. R. 5. 15-17*

LOST—tan pocketbook containing money, on East Second between Linville Hotel and Davis street. Had name of Farmers Trust Co., on it. Finder return to Democrat-Forum. 16

Pauline Swinford of Pickering is visiting Roberta Cook of Maryville today.

For over 50 years Sherwin-Williams paints have lead the way, where quality and value count. Sold by Holt Supply Co.

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Aug. 16—CATTLE—Receipts, 11,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 26,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 16,000.

St. Louis, Aug. 16—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 9,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000.

Kansas City, Aug. 16—CATTLE—Receipts, 8,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 5,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000.

St. Joseph, Aug. 16—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,100.
HOGS—Receipts, 4,500; top, $8.20.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500.
Hogs 15 cents higher.

TODAY'S MARKET

Butterfat, per lb	33c
Eggs per dozen	20c
Springs, per lb	18 and 22c
Hens, per lb	14c to 17c
Roosters, per lb	6c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese per lb.	8c
Hides, per lb	4c

Luther Fast of Burlington Junction was in Maryville today.

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SPECIALIST
Will Be in Maryville, Mo.

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Harmony

The services were well attended both morning and evening. A feature of the morning service was a solo by Miss Hazel Cox, entitled "The Lord is Mindful." The discourse in the evening was based on a well known scripture incident and the thought was, "The Healing Touch." Miss Lulu Cox was leader of the C. E. in the evening. At the morning hour a delegate and an alternate were elected to represent this charge at the annual conference that meets next month at Millersburg, Iowa. L. G. Murray was elected delegate and R. V. McKee alternate.

Ernest Monroe returned the first of the week to Wisconsin, near Green Bay where he has employment. He has been here since early in the spring.

Plenty of time to go to town, but too busy to drag the roads.

Otis McCall and family, and Ernest Monroe were visiting at Alve Hunts last Wednesday.

B. S. and Wilbur Cox, Rev. Underwood and W. I. Lewis attended the Harding Memorial Services at Maryville last Friday.

Quite a number from this neighborhood attended the funeral of Miss Laura King at the Baptist Church at Orrsburg last Friday.

Mrs. Fanning visited the family of Dale Goforth at Barnard last Thursday.

Fall plowing is the order of the day around here, and quite a number are getting ready to sow alfalfa.

Mrs. Kate Lewis, Mrs. Nettie Hiatt and Mrs. Alida Solfisburg and daughter, Miss Nell Solfisburg visited Tuesday at the home of W. I. Lewis. Mrs. Solfisburg, his sister, and her daughter, Miss Nell are residents of Plano Ill.

Mrs. Lulu Smith of Mound City visited at the home of M. S. Casteel, last week and at R. V. McKee's Saturday. She will return to her home the first of the week.

A large number from this vicinity took in the Ravenwood Picnic last week.

A well attended health meeting was held at the High School building, with Mrs. Grace Bean in charge, Monday August 13. Among those present were the following ladies, Mrs. Coffelt, Mrs. McKee, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Vilas Porter and Mrs. T. E. Porter, Mrs. Myra Craven, Mrs. L. G. Murray, Mrs. Null, Mrs. Underwood, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Harbison, Mrs. Besco, Mrs. John Edwards, Mrs. W. I. Lewis, Mrs. David, Miss Dorris McKee and Miss Blanche Moore. The next meeting will be held Friday August 17.

Rev. C. R. Green and family drove down from Farrar, Iowa for a weeks visit with his many friends in this neighborhood. Rev. Green has charge of an important work at that place and is deservedly popular. They will return home Saturday.

Ray Buck of California, a former resident of this community is visiting his mother in Maryville this week.

R. V. McKee and M. S. Casteel shipped a load of hogs to the St. Joseph market from Maryville last Wednesday. They sustained the Harmony reputation by securing top price on Thursday's sales.

In preparation for the coming school term there will be a "Registration Day" at the High School building Saturday Aug. 18 from 9 to 12. Students will be enrolled, classes organized and the preliminary work of organization completed as far as possible, so that the regular studies may be delayed the minimum amount of time.

Arrangements are under way to hold a Sunday school picnic in the woods near B. S. Cox's. Efficient committees are at work, and we will give you a full account of the fun next week. If rain does not prevent it, the picnic will be Thursday Aug. 16.

A county Supt. in an adjoining county asked in an examination, "Who was Frances Willard" and received this reply. "Frances Willard was the sister of Jess Willard." Such is fame.

Where is that scientist that said the sun's rays were becoming less powerful?

Country Side News.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hinton and family visited in Iowa Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. E. A. Houston threshed Saturday morning.

Mrs. Carl Burke and daughters and Misses Elna and Merrel Scott went to Quitman Saturday.

Ray Proctor threshed Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glines and daughter, Edna, visited at Frank Ulmer's Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sisson of Parnell visited with Carl Burks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison visited in Maryville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spangler and daughters, Edith and Leslie, attended the convention at Maryville Sunday.

Mrs. U. A. Anderson and children attended the Barbeque at Quitman Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Ulmer's sister from Kansas is visiting her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott left Wednesday for Kansas where they will visit Mrs. Scott's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller were visiting at Ray Proctor's Monday.

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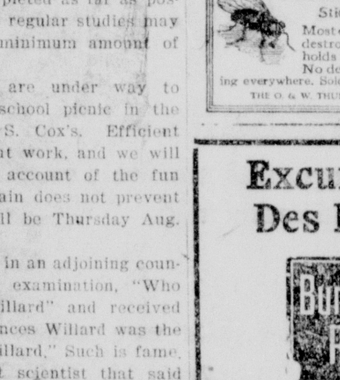

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A stubborn backache is cause to suspect kidney trouble, when the kidneys are inflamed and swollen, stooping brings a sharp twinge in the small of the back, that almost takes the breath away. Doan's Kidney Pills revive sluggish kidneys—relieve aching backs. Here's Maryville proof:

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New Pack Acropolis Brand Fancy Sifted Peas, doz. cans	$2.25
Large Elberta Peaches for slicing, basket	35c
Good Eating Pears, basket	35c
Gallon can Alta Cresta Apricots, solid pack	65c
Gallon can Blackberries	75c
No. 2½ size can Richelieu Brand dry packed Prunes	35c
Jumbo Brand Red Pepper Sauce, bottle	10c
Dove Brand Glass Jug Pure Imported Olive Oil	25c
Richelieu Brand Sweet Relish	25c
Tall can Carnation Milk	10c
10lbs Pure Cane Sugar	90c
No. 2½ size can Ol-Miss Brand Sweet Potatoes	10c
10lb pail Bumble Bee Crystal White Syrup	55c
No. 1 can Van Camps Pork and Beans	9c
No. 2 can Van Camps Pork and Beans	12c
10 Bars Ideal Brown Laundry Soap	25c
7 Bars Luna White Laundry Soap	25c
7 pkgs. Rub no more Washing Powder	25c
2 cakes Creme Oil Toilet Soap	15c
6 pkgs. Star Naptha Washing Powder	25c
Large can Royal Baking Powder	45c
Large can Dr. Price's Baking Powder	20c
Select Santos Peaberry Coffee, lb	25c
25lb sack Crushed Ice Cream Salt	35c
Waukesha Clear Rock Ginger Ale	25c
50lb blocks Stock Salt	50c
5 Bars P. & G. White Naptha Soap	25c
American Oil Sardine, per can	5c
Tall can Medium Red Salmon	20c
Military Brand Steel Cut Coffee	35c
Large Carton Quaker Quick Oats	25c
Quaker Puffed Wheat carton	12c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, carton	10c
Shredded Wheat Biscuit, carton	12c
Fine quality Country Gentleman Corn, doz.	15c

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Child-birth

Here is a wonderful message to all expectant mothers!

When the Little One arrives, you can have that moment more free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy, "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says:

"With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used Mother's Friend and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA 46, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

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Wonderful Results from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Beloit, Wis.—"My female trouble was brought on by overwork. I had worked in stores and had to do heavier work than my strength could stand, and had to be on my feet most of the time. Finally I had to give up this work entirely and stay at home. Doctor's medicine did not give me much relief, and my mother wanted me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took a couple of bottles of it and thought it did not help me as much as it should, so I gave it up to try something else. Nothing I took helped me much, so I finally decided to give the Vegetable Compound another trial and to take enough of it to make sure it would help me. I have taken it over a year now and it has brought wonderful results. I have gained from 93 to 110 pounds and am keeping house now. My friends all notice the change in my health. I will be glad to answer all letters that women write to me about the Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. W. G. MONSON, 1615 Park Ave., Beloit, Wis.

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Communication

The following letter has been received from George W. Neal of Pickering regarding the present wheat situation.

This letter is an answer to an inquiry sent out by the Democrat-Forum in an effort to find out what the Nodaway County formers are doing about their wheat. Some of them are selling it as soon as threshed and others are holding it for higher price.

What are the rest of the farmers of the County doing? The Democrat-Forum would be pleased to hear from other farmers. An exchange of ideas would be profitable to all.

Mr. Neal's letter is as follows:

Regarding the wheat situation, we threshed as soon as possible after cutting and sold from the machine. The shrinkage and double hauling later during a busy time makes it an unprofitable proposition to hold wheat. Stacking early will pay best if one wishes to hold wheat for better prices. We usually grind a load or so of wheat or rye to feed until new corn is ready.

The wheat question today is a world question. Wheat is raised in nearly every country, when not in war. Europe is now increasing her acreage. Our tariff on wheat has made Canada send her wheat to Europe instead of here as commonly. Our millers used to blend the hard Canadian wheat with our soft wheat so it workes a hardship on both countries.

Agitators, politicians, tariffs are many times fallacies and not facts in the situation. We have had the Chicago Conference this year and the whole nation is very much concerned on the wheat question, but the remedy is still in the farmers' hands. The farmers that are depending on a wheat crop alone are very hard hit this year.

Our problem in Nodaway county is about the same all over the country and I think will be worked out later by the farmers. The great Chamber of Commerce today is working on many large questions in a most business like way and may later help the farmers in a better marketing system.

Very truly yours,
George W. Neal.

Worsts Home Friday

Mrs. Isabel Worst and daughter, Miss Allie Worst, are expected home tomorrow noon from Santa Ana, Cal., where they have been visiting relatives. Mrs. Worst has been visiting her nieces, Mrs. J. L. McKee and Mrs. Paul Roberts, in Santa Ana since January and her daughter joined her there early in July. En route home they spent several weeks with Mrs. Worst's daughter, Mrs. N. C. Covey in Pueblo, Colo.

To State Fair

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Condon and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gray left today for Sedalia, Mo., to attend the State Fair.

Redistricting Plan Agreed On

Nodaway County Would Be In 17th District—Would Be Republican District

Jefferson City, Aug. 16—With several members of the redistricting committee of the state constitutional convention absent, a majority of the members of that body have agreed upon a measure for redistricting the state senatorial districts. The chairman of the committee, Judge Henry Lay of Warsaw, was absent, and so was Frank H. Farris of Rolla, both Democrats, but those present representing each party came to an agreement on a proposition submitted by Ralph Wammack of Stoddard County. This plan would give Kansas City and St. Louis one additional state senator, making three from Kansas City and seven from St. Louis. Under it, the state senate apparently would remain in the hands of Democrats, with nineteen members, to fifteen Republicans.

The total number of districts is not changed, but there is much shifting about in the formation of the thirty-four districts. Each district is based on the population of 1920, and the average per district is 100,119.

The committee likely will not make any report until the chairman returns. As the Republicans and Democrats of the committee have agreed upon a plan however, it is expected that it will be favored by the convention.

The state senatorial districts have not been rearranged since 1901, and with the exception of one session of the legislature, 1921, the Democrats have had control of this body for nearly fifty years.

Nodaway County would be in the seventeenth district with Andrew, Atchison, Holt, Gentry and Worth counties. The population of this district is 92,187 and it would be Republican.

Are Visiting Here

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Hereford of Lake Charles, La., arrived in Maryville yesterday for a month's visit with Mrs. Hereford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Irby at 1401 East First street. They made the trip here in their car.

Mr. Hereford is city editor of the Daily American-Press of that city.

Return From Sioux City

Mr. and Mrs. French Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horn and daughter, Roberta Mae, returned Tuesday from Sioux City, Iowa, where they spent a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Carter. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Alene, who has been visiting there for the past five weeks.

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 17. ONE DAY ONLY—DOROTHY REVIER in "**BROADWAY MODANNA.**" Also a two reel comedy "ENTERTAINING THE BOSS." Matinee at 3:00—10c and 22c. Night 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 18

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Nancy Hanks, the mother of Abraham Lincoln, died forty-three years before her son became President.

His Mother

She washed clothes
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She got up in the dark and went to bed by a flickering flame. She died at thirty-five.

Somewhere today a mother is rearing a future President.

The hard labor in her home is done by small electric motors.

She will be present at her son's inauguration, looking and feeling young.

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Flank Steak, per lb	17½c
Fresh Ground Hamburger, 2 lbs. for	25c

HAM AND BACON

Swift's Empire Cured Hams, by whole, per lb	23c
Forsyth's Bacon, by whole or half piece, per lb	20c
Swift's Empire Bacon, by whole or half, per lb	28c
Bacon Squares, nexcelled for seasoning, per lb	15c
Swift's Empire Picnic Hams, lb	15c
Jello, per pkg.	10c
No. 2½ cans Apricots in syrup	20c
36 oz. can Armour's Pork and Beans	21c
Jack Spratt Corn Flakes, pkg.	10c

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